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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Noriaki YADA

Serial No. 09/725,097

Group Art Unit: 3627

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Examiner: Andrew J. Rudy

For: ASSET MANAGEMENT SYSTEM AND ASSET MANAGEMENT METHOD

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION AND ELECTION OF SPECIES
REQUIREMENTS**

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed June 23, 2004, and having a period for response set to expire on July 23, 2004.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

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